

Amendments to the Abstract

Replace the abstract with the following replacement abstract:

~~Described is a A gusseted bag or flat bag (200,201,212,214,217), which is produced and filled by a form-fill-seal (FFS) machine. and which The bag has a tear-open perforation (207,208,216) located at least in the area of at least one of the corners of the bag. The invention is characterized in that the bag has a corner weld seal (206) in the area of at least one corner of the bag.~~

(Figure 1)

For the examiner's convenience, a clean text version of the replacement abstract (55 words) is presented below:

A gusseted bag or flat bag is produced and filled by a form-fill-seal (FFS) machine. The bag has a tear-open perforation located at least in the area of at least one of the corners of the bag. The bag has a corner weld seal in the area of at least one corner of the bag.